Foster Youth Services Mini Series
San Mateo County Office of Education’s Foster Youth Services Coordinating Program is hosting a series of short (30 minute) trainings, each focused on topics relevant to our county’s foster youth.

**AB 490/Information Sharing**
November 17, 2021, 10:00-10:30 AM
An overview of guiding principles of AB 490, why school stability matters, and the basics of information sharing
Register: [bit.ly/3pu5GWg](https://bit.ly/3pu5GWg)

**Foster Youth Basics/ Roadmap**
December 2, 2021, 10:00-10:30 AM
An overview of important considerations when working with foster youth, and a detailed review of the Foster Youth Roadmap, a communication and support tool created in collaboration with the Foster Youth Services Coordinating Program (FYSCP) Executive Advisory Council

**School of Origin/ Best Interest Determination/ Transportation**
January 27, 2022, 10:00-10:30 AM
An overview covering what a school of origin is, why it is important, and how best interest is determined

**Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)/ California Dream Act Application (CADAA)**
February 3, 2022, 10:00-10:30 AM
An introduction to SB 860 and review of SMCOE FYSCP’s plan to support foster youth with FAFSA completion and the FAFSA Challenge
Register: [bit.ly/3B0ON7S](https://bit.ly/3B0ON7S)

**School Discipline/504/IEP**
February 24, 2022, 10:00-10:30 AM
A discussion about key considerations regarding school discipline, Special Education and 504 Plans, and addressing the unique needs and experiences of foster youth

**ERH/Accessing Services**
March 24, 2022, 10:00-10:30 AM
An overview discussing what is an educational rights holder (ERH) and how to involve them in your work with foster youth
Register: [bit.ly/3m5KHAr](https://bit.ly/3m5KHAr)

**Partial Credits/Graduation**
April 21, 2022, 10:00-10:30 AM
An outline of how EC 51225.1 (AB 167/216) applies to foster youth and how you can support them in graduating on time
Register: [bit.ly/2Zb8mNx](https://bit.ly/2Zb8mNx)